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General Telegraphic News

THE CROW'S NEST COAL CO'S CHARTER.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS DEERT

GEN BUTTERFIELD ILL

ROYALTY "SPRING MOVING"

Winnipeg, April 15.

Queen Alexandra has returned to London.

High water at Selkirk has inundated the flats.

Dr. Robertson, a pioneer physician of Toronto, is dead.

Mrs. Emerson wife of ex-premier Emerson is dead.

Over 500 soldiers deserted a regiment at Leavenworth, Kas.

Mrs. Robert Gray of Galt, was badly burned by ignited gas.

There is a report that an attempt was made to stab Kruger.

A pillar in Westminster Abbey fell during service to the interior.

A. D. Cameron a well known lawyer, died at Brandon very suddenly.

The crown prince of Germany is on his way to the Emperor of Austria.

Lady Cook will not be allowed to examine the body of her husband.

The water in the St. Lawrence river at Montreal, rose six feet Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Langford, Ontario crown prosecutor, at Rat Portage, is dead.

The British government has decided to strengthen Jamaica's fortifications.

Gen. Buttfield, the well known U. S. civil war general, is dangerously ill.

A native gentleman is in Ottawa in reference to Syrian emigration to Canada.

An advanced English churchman will be welcomed as bishop of London this week.

The directors have decided to rebuild the barnet Russell theatre, Ottawa.

Frank Hammet of Tottenham, Ont., died while taking down a barn.

A rich strike of silver has been made at the Silver Mountain mine, near Fort Williams.

A party, many in Toronto easily secured two Toronto banks of several thousand dollars.

London, April 14.—Col. Harry McCallum, popular aide among turf men, politicians and members of parliament, has arrived in London from South Africa where he has been serving with the Warwickshire militia.

Ottawa, April 14.—The Crow's Nest Coal Co. Ry., charter in regard to which another hitch has occurred is in this position. The C. P. R. say they have dropped their opposition to it on the basis of settlement telegraphed a few days ago. But friends of the C. P. R. are certainly maintaining an opposition and making demands which the coal company say would handicap them in developing the mines and finding a market in the United States. They add that they are willing to submit to any restrictions to last until some other company begins to operate. They say it would be unjust to impose restrictions on the price that would be obtained after competitors took the field who were free of similar or any restrictions.

LOCAL

—C. Gallagher is in Calgary.

—Committed to the "deep," is the latest mode of describing a journey over country thoroughfares.

—E. F. Stigebenson, inspector of Dominion lands offices, Winnipeg, came in last week on an official visit.

—The Old Timers met on Friday evening to decide on a programme for "Old Timers' Day" July 2nd. A mammoth Old Timer parade was one of the features decided on.

—Some alterations have been made in the agenda of the Jasper House, a semi-circular desk being arranged in the centre for use as an office.

—R. Sick came in from Duluth on Friday to settle in Northern Alberta.

Mrs. Degagne and family leave in the morning for Rossland, B. C., where they will join Mr. Degagne, and reside in future.

—The plans of the buildings to be erected by the exhibition association are being prepared by H. D. Johnson, and tenders are being called for to-day for the erection of the buildings.

There will be a grand stand and an exhibition building. The latter is 36 ft. wide, 100 ft. long, and 25 ft. high. It will have a gallery or walkway runs around the second floor. The building will have a sky light and will be appropriated off for the convenient display of goods. The grand stand will be a first class structure with a seating capacity of 1,500. It will be 200 feet long and 25 feet high. The whole will be roofed in. The back of the stand will be divided into booths there being fifteen in all. They are to be supplied with fold-down booths and when open form a counter in front.

—T. J. O'Shaughnessy leaves in the morning for Butte, Montana.

—Mrs. Ed. Brissette leaves to-morrow for Montreal to meet her husband, who is employed in the C. P. R. offices there.

—The Industrial exhibition association met Saturday night to transact routine business. The contract for the printing of the prize lists was awarded to the Bulletin.

—J. T. Blowey has made extensive alterations in the arrangements of his furniture establishment, removing the office farther to the rear of the building and increasing the size of his show room.

—The Industrial Exhibition Association have purchased the hand stand at the C. M. E. A. hall and handed it over to the band for their use until July 1st.

—Practice of the Edmonton fire brigade on Thursday, 18th inst., followed by monthly meeting. As important business has to be transacted a large attendance is requested.

—Plowing and seeding has commenced in the Poplar lake and Belmont districts. Mr. Mitchell, of Belmont, sowed several acres of wheat two weeks ago. Roads are drying up rapidly and country travel is once more possible.

—A highly successful sale of the effects of A. D. Cleve was held by Auctioneer Potter at Fort Saskatchewan Saturday. Though the sale was on credit on three-quarters of the proceeds, amounting to \$1175, were paid in cash.

—A meeting to reorganize the golf club was held Thursday. Dr. Roy was elected president, F. P. Hobson, vice-president, and H. W. Wright, secretary-treasurer. The club have decided to erect a club house of their own on the links, large enough for a dancing hall when occasion requires.

—The spring weather now in vogue should resurrect summer sports and with a bumper exhibition assured for July 1st to 4th, during which, lacrosse, cricket, football, baseball, &c., will receive due attention, should encourage the formation and ensure the efficiency of teams in each of the above mentioned games. We have the material and should have the teams to keep the prizes at home.

—A farewell supper will be tendered to V. H. Raleigh at the Jasper House to-night. Mr. Raleigh was a member of the Fugard party of gold seekers and came here during the Klondike rush. He spent a winter on the Arctic Red River in the very far north and came out two years ago, residing since in town. Mr. Raleigh leaves in the morning for his home in Los Angeles, California.

—Formerly when a depositor in the postal department wished to withdraw any of his money from the bank it usually cost him a delay of five days for the return advice. This prevented a great many from investing in that institution. But now the department has ordered that all postmasters can pay up to \$20 to any depositor that is known to them, without waiting for the advice.—Reg. Standard.

—While in Calgary Mr. Gallagher will endeavor to make arrangements with the managers of the fair there for a circuit in connection with the two exhibitions so that attractions visiting one place might pass on and take in the other also. This would enable the management of each to bring much better attractions here than would be possible under any other circumstances as the chance of doing business at both exhibitions would be an incentive for good companies to make the trips.

—Now, as smiling spring seems to have joined the rush of immigrants for a circuit in Alberta, is an opportune time for a crusade on the subject of canals and other debris which has accumulated during the winter months in so many back yards. Whatever the thing is for which this district has been quarantined the presence of filth in the neighborhood of residences is no doubt an invitation to a protracted visitation.

—New is the season of the citizens' annual pilgrimage to the river bank to watch the broad Saskatchewan throwing off its winter coat and waking to life again. "When will the ice go out?" is not the momentous question it was to us a few years ago, when, for a brief period every fall and spring, we were cut off from all communication with the outer world, and our mail bags with an occasional adventurous passenger, came swinging over the ice hummocks and the slush in the basket suspended from the ferry cable. Though the building of the bridge has done away with this undesirable state of affairs, the pilgrimage and interest still continues. At present great gaps of open water are to be seen above the bridge, and the river is steadily rising. Those best versed in river lore had decided on yesterday as the day the ice would go, but the river, through a spirit of contrariness or a desire to keep the Sabbath, never moved. Its end now is only a matter of a day or so, perhaps less. The river at the Fort is said to be open for a considerable distance.

—Colin Fraser left for the Athabasca Landing yesterday to go down to Chipewyan at open water.

—Mrs. M. T. Montgomery goes south to-morrow to visit 'downs' along the line with a millinery display.

—A fifty dollar prize will be given by the directors of the fair to school pupils for the best map of Canada. The competition will be under the direction of school inspector, G. J. Eryin.

—The proprietors of the Grand Central and Victoria hotels are about to increase the space of their respective hostleries, the former by taking in the ground at present occupied by Voyce's office and Rives's barber shop, and the latter by extending to the lane in the rear.

—On Saturday an accident occurred on the C. & E. a few miles south of Invermay whereby an old trainman, whose name at present is not known, was run over by the train and had his left arm crushed and the fingers taken off his right hand. The unfortunate man was taken south, 'here fortunately being a doctor on the train.

—Felix Gouin, C. E., who had charge of the bridge construction here, returned from MacLeod Saturday, where he has been superintending government work.

The wooden nose put on the south pier line is being protected by galvanized iron sheeting which has just arrived from the east and Mr. Gouin is here to see that it is properly placed. The sheeting will be put on this afternoon, in order to have the pier protected before the ice goes out.

—A cigar factory is shortly to be established here by H. V. Shaw, who arrived from the south last week. Mr. Shaw brings with him two experienced cigar makers and will commence work as soon as the formalities connected with the procuring of his license can be completed, probably in six weeks or two months. The manufactory will be located, for the present at least, in some of the rooms on the second floor of the Humbertson block. When properly established Mr. Shaw counts on the factory having an output of 2,000 cigars per day.

RED DEER BRIDGE DOWN.

The following despatch was received by the Bulletin Saturday from H. H. Galt, secretary of the board of trade, Red Deer:

"Red Deer, April 13.

"Anno" or example of blundering official inefficiency and waste of public funds has been given in Red Deer. The Northwest government erected a steel bridge over the river at this point and put the most flimsy piers under it with the result that the first run of ice carried away a pier, and two spans of the bridge went down last night. It would be difficult to find in any country a more shameful exhibition of the lack of ordinary engineering capacity than has been evinced in attempts at bridge building at this place."

BY THEIR FRUITS, ETC.

A gentleman who arrived from the east last week showed a Bulletin representative a half dozen letters he had received from residents of Clover Bar, Sturgeon river, Stony Plain, and St. Albert, in reply to an advertisement "Wanted, Farm to rent," which he had had inserted in the Bulletin during the winter.

A "Want" ad. in the Bulletin is the surest way of satisfying your needs.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

For Sale Or Rent.

S. E. quarter section 30, township 55, range 42, west of 4th. The above farm is good and high with 10 acres broken. All fenced. About 20 tons of hay can be cut. A good creek running through the east side of farm. School at corner of section. Two school sections along side 19-20. Suitable for any person wishing pasture. \$1,300. Easy terms. Apply to Bulletin or C. CARBUTHERS, or D. MALONEY, St. Albert.

Tenders.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon Saturday, April 27th, 1901, for the construction and completion of a Grand Stand by June 20th, 1901, for the Edmonton Industrial Exhibition Association. Plans and specifications may be seen at the secretary's office. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. G. HARRISON, Secretary.

Edmonton, April 15th, 1901.

Tenders.

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A. G. HARRISON, Secretary.

Edmonton, April 15th, 1901.

M. TIVADAR NACHEK.

The World-Renowned Hungarian Violinist, who appears here with Madame Albani, on the 24th April, has had the honor of performing before:

Her Majesty the Queen and the Royal Family; T. R. H. the Prince, and Princesses of Wales; T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh (Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha); T. R. H. the Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein; H. R. H. the Princess Louise (Marchioness of Lorne); T. R. H. the Prince and Princess Henry of Battenberg; T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Teck; H. R. H. the Duke of Cambridge. Their Majesties, the late Emperor William I., and the Empress Augusta. His Majesty the late Emperor and the Empress Frederick II.; His Majesty the Emperor William II.; Their Majesties the Czar and Czarina of Russia; Their Majesties the King and Queen of Denmark. Their Majesties the King and Queen of Greece; Their Majesties the King and Queen of Sweden and Norway. T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha; T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess Alfred of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.

PROGRAMME:
At the premises of the undersigned, 5, E. St. 6-54-55, one non-colored cello, black mane and tail, fine aged, forehead, blind in left eye, weight about 700 pounds. Owner will please pay expenses and take away.

WILL A. KEEN.

To whom it may concern,

I hereby warn all persons against any action to my detriment on the land variously described to me N. E. of my residence, and bounded to the north by the Union property and the Saddle Creek, as I have substantial and longstanding claims on the land.

WM. NEWTON.

SHEDDEN & CAMPBELL

CREDIT SALE

Cows, Horses and Young Stock

Tuesday, April 16th,

at 1.30 o'clock, sharp, at

EDMONTON AUCTION HOUSE.

The undersigned has been instructed to sell by public auction without reserve, the Stock, Implements, Harness, &c., of Mr. W. Howard, who is quitting farming and entering business pursuits, in town, comprising: 2 cows in calf, 1 cow, new milker, 2 steers, one and two years old, 1 wagon, (new), 1 stable plow 16 in., 1 Scotch Chaffer plow 16 in., 1 disc harrow, 1 lever drag harrow, 1 Cockshutt shoe drill 14 inch, 1 set of harness, forks, shovels, hoes, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Quarter of purchase price in cash, on the balance nine months credit will be given upon furnishing approved joint lien notes bearing 8 per cent interest. A discount of 8 per cent will be given for cash on credit sums.

A. E. POTTER, Auctioneer.

I will also sell at same place and date for Mr. T. Astleford (who is going east next week) to the highest bidder for cash, the following: 1 span horse, 1 set double harness, 1 wagon, 1 single, 1 buckboard, cart, Household furniture, 1 fur coat, boots, gloves, tools, and many other articles too numerous to mention; also one lot 1-4 acre ground on river bank of the McDonald farm, east of town with house and stable. Terms cash.

NOTICE.

C. E. Bevington & Son having purchased the Standard Restaurant wish to announce to the general public that they are now prepared to do a general Restaurant business. Meals served at all hours day or night. Board and lodging furnished by day or week. Good beds.

Auction Sale!

Tuesday, April 16th, '01

EDMONTON AUCTION HOUSE

This is our regular bi-weekly sale, and parties having anything to sell should list in time to give proper advertising in posters.

A. E. POTTER, Auctioneer



1000 Chairs just arrived and marked at 45c, 50c and 60c. Better at 70c, 80c and 90c.

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In this department we show the largest and best assorted stock in the north. Our range of Tweeds this season surpasses anything we have heretofore shown. Our Suits are made up in the latest cut and of the most fashionable materials. We show a fine line of office and business suits at \$15. No more need of going to the tailor when you can get a suit to fit you at this price. Try us for once.

Hats & Caps

Our spring stock has arrived, comprising the newest styles in all the leading shapes and colors. The stock is all fresh and new, so you can rely on getting the very latest thing in the market. We have no old lines to clear off at half cost. Our prices are as low for new goods as some people charge for old. Come and see our stock if you want something up-to-date.

Our furnishing dept is complete in all particulars, and is the leading one in the north.

W. T. HENRY & Co

MEN'S FURNISHINGS, BOOTS & SHOES.

Selling Out!

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Big to announce that owing to approaching dissolution of partnership, they are offering for sale their new and well assorted stock of

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHINGS

Consisting of Ready-made Clothing, Waterproof Coats, Shirts, Collars and Ties, Hosiery and Underwear, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, and an assortment of Fur Goods, at prices to clear out the entire stock within the required time.

As this business has only been running about ten months, we have no old goods or dead stock to offer, but a new, clean and well assorted stock of the above lines.

LARGEST VARIETY

Boys' Clothing

—OF—

We invite you to call and examine our up-to-date stock of Children's Clothing. We think we can satisfy you both in price and quality.

Two-piece Serge and Halifax Tweed, commencing at \$1.25 and up to \$2.00

Two-piece Tweed, " " " 2.25 " 4.00

Sizes in above range for Boys from 2-year-old to 12 years.

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A nice line of Fannyler Suits for little boys, beautifully trimmed, and cheaper than anything you have seen before here. Just the thing to make your boys look smart.

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TO BUY ALBERTA HORSES.

The following letter has been received by Mr. C. W. Peterson, secretary of the Territorial Horse Breeders' Association, from the chief stock inspector at Montreal, Dr. McEachern, being upon the mission of the purchasing party sent out by the war office authorities for the purpose of obtaining remounts in Canada:

"Colonel Dent will visit Alberta and other parts of the Northwest Territories for the purpose of purchasing horses for the army in South Africa. Having to send 1000 immediately, he will spend April in Ontario and Quebec; he will arrive in Alberta early in May. The dates and purchasing places will be arranged and published later. The following are the particulars as to horses required.

Cobs 14 hands to 15 hands, cavalry horses 15.1 to 15.3 hands high; no horses under six years this summer will be bought. The colors are restricted to bay, brown, black and chestnut; very dark iron grey, if the animal is exceptionally good may be considered, but white or light grey need not be shown. Mares and geldings only; stallions are of no use and need not be shown. They must be thoroughly broken to ride, be bridlewise, and gentle to saddle, mount, and dismount. They must be sound. Horses which are thin in flesh need not be shown.

As secretary of the Horse Breeders' Association, I presume you will give the above publicity, and I trust that though late in beginning we will be able to dispose of a large number of Alberta horses, and that Colonel Dent will be favorably impressed with the horses, country and people; as on his report will depend the establishment or not of a remount depot in Alberta and the continuance of purchasing there."

It is possible that Colonel Dent may be authorized to accept horses for immediate service in the field up to 12 or 14 years of age, upon a proper guarantee of age from the seller.

ACQUIRING KNOWLEDGE OF CANADA.

Word has just been received at the department of the interior of the school competition which has recently been held in the old country, upon the history, geography and resources of Canada, and according to this report of Lord Strathcona, the high commissioner for Canada in London, and under whose direction these competitions are held, the results would appear to have been very satisfactory. A bronze medal of a very pretty design was awarded to the successful competitor, and the examination is held upon a Canadian reader and geography, which are provided by the department and distributed free for that purpose. Altogether about 950 schools took part in the last competition, and sent in examination papers at the end of December and January. The awards were recently made, and there has been so much interest shown by the different schools in this matter that it is proposed to hold another competition at an early date. All the school masters and school mistresses if whose schools the examinations have been held, have spoken in the highest terms of the competition, and of the good results it is likely to bring about in their neighborhoods in making Canada better known and appreciated.

CONSTITUTION OF IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

An analysis of the new parliament of Great Britain and Ireland shows that of the 669 members returned, 960 were members of the late parliament, and that 108 are new members.

The following is an analysis of the various professions and officials and mercantile positions of the 669 members:

Bankers and financiers,	22
Baristers, in or out of practice,	116
Brewers, distillers and wine merchants,	23
Civil and mining engineers,	4
Culinary proprietors and coal merchants,	17
Diplomatists and government officials,	17
Estate agents, architects and accountants,	2
Farmers and agriculturists,	15
Gentry and landowners,	65
Ironmasters and metal merchants,	15
Labour representatives,	13
Manufacturers and spinners,	32
Medical profession,	9
Merchants,	44
Ministers and ex-ministers of government,	40
Newspaper proprietors and journalists,	33
Peers sons and brothers,	31
Printers and booksellers,	4
Railway contractors and engineers,	6
Steamship and shipowners and builders,	18
Solicitors, in or out of practice,	24
Stock and share brokers,	7
Shopkeepers and traders,	13
University professors and schoolmasters,	13
	606

Army and navy list;	
Lieutenant-general,	1
Colonels,	19
Lieutenant-colonels,	7
Major,	1
Captains,	20
Lieutenants,	5
Naval officers,	
Captains,	2
Lieutenants,	63
	669

WHEAT.

Tribune: There has been no change in the local conditions of the markets. There has been some increase in the movement of grain from provincial points to Fort William, yet the trade is inactive. Holders of what are still waiting for better prices, while the buyers are waiting for the opening of navigation to bring those prices down. The prices are much the same at Fort William as those existing a week ago. No. 1 hard is worth about \$3.12 to \$4 cents and No. 2 hard 78.12 to 79 cents, while No. 3 hard is bringing 68.12 to 69 cents.

It is expected that spring seedling will commence in many parts of the province next week should the present mild weather continue.

In connection with the preparation of seed grain the Van Dusen-Harrington Co. have issued a pamphlet to their customers, extracts of which may be of interest to farmers.

Don't sow soft or thin burned wheat and don't sow dark colored or scaly flax—certainly not without making suitable germination tests. "Light, shrunken or weak seed of any kind should never be sown. It makes no difference how the injury to the seed is brought about, whether by hot winds, wet weather, frost, animal or vegetable parasites, "churning" in the stack or bin, or any other cause. If inferior seed be sown, a good crop cannot reasonably be expected.

"Continuous growth of wheat on the same kind of soil or under like climatic conditions, does not cause degeneration, but on the contrary, if proper care is taken in culture, and seed selection, and the seed is kept pure, wheat grown for a long term of years in any given locality should become, with each added year, better adapted to the conditions peculiar to that locality. A change of seed from one locality to another often results in serious losses, as it sometimes takes several years to overcome a seemingly slight change in environment. Importation of seed from a distance should be resorted to only when it is impossible to obtain suitable seed near home, or when some new variety is to be tested, which latter should always be done on a small scale at first."

THRESHERS' RETURNS.

The department of agriculture at Regina has just completed the compilation of threshers' returns for the year 1900. The total area under crop of wheat, oats and barley as reported by threshers was 605,347 acres in the year 1900, and from this was harvested 807,662 bushels of grain. This shows 12,610 more acres of land under cultivation than during the preceding year, but the yield falls short by 3,331,418 bushels. This is accounted for by the extremely dry spring and early summer in the eastern portions of the Territories and by bad harvesting weather throughout. Early snow storms in the west caused losses by lodging; the grain and thus materially reduced the yield.

The full detailed and tabulated table will be published in a few days.

PORTO RICAN MISERY.

Senor Santiago Iglesias, delegate of the federation of labor of Porto Rico, who arrived recently at New York from San Juan, was the bearer of a petition from the workmen of Porto Rico to President McKinley. In this petition, which bore 6,000 signatures, the Porto Ricans said: "Misery, with all its horrible consequences, is spreading in our homes with wonderful rapidity. It has already reached such an extreme that many workers are starving to death, while others that have not the courage to see their mothers, wives, sisters and children perish by hunger, commit suicide by drowning themselves in rivers or hanging themselves from branches of trees."

An arrangement has just been concluded between the United States and Canada, under which all postal moneys sent between this country and the United States will go at the domestic rate of three-tenths of one per cent, instead of the international rate of one per cent, as at present. This concession is regarded as more important to money order business than any action taken since the inception of the system. Money orders annually sent from the States to Canada now aggregate about \$2,000,000 and in other directions a little less than that amount. Exchange of these orders is now restricted to four thousand offices in the States, but under the new arrangement it will be extended to 30,000 offices, any money offices in either country being thus authorized to issue or pay them. It is expected that this reduction in the rate will treble business.

Dr. Bryce, provincial medical health officer, received a report from Sudbury regarding small pox. Up to last Saturday there were 1,000 men from the lumber camps passed by medical men. Half of the number were vaccinated. In the hospital there are sixty-five cases of small pox and fifty suspects. To Dr. Bryce it is surprising that new cases have not come down from Sudbury. In the last three weeks cases reported were traced to travelers who had come down weeks ago. Dr. Bryce has received word from the United States that in certain sections of Ohio the epidemic of small pox is being the control of the authorities.

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Tenders to be not later than Saturday, 14th
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monwealth; Chicago, First National Bank; Union
National Bank; Detroit, Detroit National Bank;
Duluth, First National Bank; American Exchange
Bank; Philadelphia, Farmers' and Merchants'
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Minneapolis, Northwestern National Bank; San
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LACOMBE.

On the Advertiser. F. Puffer is erecting a large lumber yard and implement shed north of his market.

The new caps for the band have arrived and will do credit to the wearers. The band boys to be in a position to stand in the near future.

W. Lund has just received a letter from his father in Iowa, who states that a terrible storm was experienced in that State, and reports come from Illinois, Nebraska, and Wyoming.

The Lacombe Agricultural Society will hold the summer stock show on Friday, August 9th, and the fall fair will be held on October 18th. The prize lists are now in the Advertiser's press.

The building rush is not only keeping up but is increasing. H. De Geer is erecting an 1821 one-and-a-half story building on Glass street; George Rathbun has begun operations on a corner on Alberta street; T. Cummings' business on Stanley street is under way, and will be one of the largest buildings in Lacombe; two or three other buildings have gone up east of track. What will it be when the building season proper opens up?

Dr. Gaetz is retiring from the parsonage of Wesley church, Winnipeg, to his health and will probably return to Red Deer to reside.

CANADIANS STILL DOING BUSINESS.

Barbados, Natal, April 6.—Details of the successful operations in the Transvaal show that in one instance the Canadian charged a position in Buffalo Bill style, firing as they galloped along. The Boers in a position where they could have been flanked, and where it was almost impossible to dislodge them, but by the forward charge of the Canadians they were forced to retreat. Scores of Boers with their families have surrendered at Melmoth, and others at different places. The Boers who are coming in say they never heard of the British operations in respect to those who surrender, and furthermore, that they have been misled in regard to the Boer war.

TO ADVOCATE METRIC SYSTEM.

Bartholomew of Montreal accompanied by Mr. Am of the Geological survey, called on Hon. Mr. Bennett, Minister of the land revenue, and the minister he was endeavoring to form a decimal association of which was to make the metric system of weights and measures known in Canada on account of the probability of the adoption of the bill now before the United States Congress making of the metric system compulsory, and on account of the British government also being seriously considering the adoption of the system.

Bartholomew also said in this connection that he would like to have charts of the metric system have manufactured cheap sets of weights and measures which he might distribute among the schools and different educational bodies.

Mr. Bennett acceded to Col. Bartholomew's request to become honorary president of the association and suggested the Premier's name should be put forward with the movement. He approved of Col. Bartholomew's project, and he was endeavoring to continue the work of Sir Henri Joly, his predecessor, in connection with the metric system.

TEST SEED OATS.

The samples sent were of very fair quality, so far as appearance was concerned, but were evidently lacking somewhat in vitality. It is particularly important that oat seed should be the best available and should be carefully tested.

Ex-President Kruger will leave for America on May 31. He will lecture in Coney Hall, New York, on June 8, at the guest of the democratic party.

Though Aguilardo has surrendered the Philippine war is not considered as terminated. Major-General Young, lately returned from the seat of war, estimates the force necessary to complete the conquest at 60,000 men.

Lisbon, Falls, Maine, April 6.—A fire which started in the Everett block here early this morning, resulted in the destruction of 25 buildings in the business portion of the town, and it is believed the loss will approximate a quarter of a million dollars.

DROWNED AT CALGARY.

Calgary, April 9.—William Murphy, aged 21, was drowned this afternoon in the Bow river. He was employed by Mr. McDonald on a hog ranch by the Langens' bridge, and was in the habit of drawing water through a hole in the ice. To-day he went down with the car containing two barrels to fill. He apparently led the horse on the ice. The horse broke through, plunged, struck Murphy, and got him under his feet. The body was recovered a few yards away, caught in some way.

EX-N.W.M.P.

Calgary Herald.

Pursuant to a notice issued by ex-Sergeant Major Hagley the ex-members of the Northwest Mounted Police in the city held a meeting in the Queen's hotel on Monday last for the purpose of organizing themselves into a mutual benefit society. A large number of members attended, and temporary organization was effected. The staff will meet in the Queen's hotel next Tuesday, the 15th, instant, for the purpose of drafting a circular letter to be sent to ex-Northwest Mounted Police in all towns and centres of settlement throughout the Territories in order that the organization may be general throughout the Northwest. The plan of organization will provide that all officers and men at present serving in the force shall be eligible for membership provided that they have served three years. The undermentioned officers were elected:

Post commander, Major Walker. Second in command, R. Riddell. Adjutant, F. A. Bagley.

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STRATHCONA.

Alaindear. A. N. Thomas is building a residence and stable on his property on Lumsden avenue, west.

J. S. McWilly has just enlarged and improved his tinsmith's parlors in the Allen block.

Robert Oschner, of the Strathcona brewery, has gone to Banff to seek relief from his rheumatism.

The White Mud school is closed on account of the illness of the teacher Mr. Bawley, who is at the general hospital suffering from pleurisy.

John Walters is erecting a commodious residence on Anderson ave., west across the street from the premises lately occupied by John H. Wilson.

W. Vogel has bought a lot just east of the Royal hotel and will build a butcher shop there at once.

E. G. Roberts has just completed extensive improvements in his building occupied by the Great West Sashery Co. An addition 30 feet deep has been added to the company's show-room, making it much more commodious.

Mr. Thos. Sword, who came here from Omaha, Neb., a few weeks ago and was injured in a runaway accident soon after, was taken to the general hospital, in Edmonton on Tuesday. He was injured in the face and blood poisoning set in; this was checked, however, but erysipelas followed and Mr. Sword has had a long and painful illness. We are pleased to state the doctors entertain strong hopes of his recovery.

Work on the two new gold dredges now on the stocks at Walter's is progressing rapidly. One of a gang of mechanics employed and the yards present a very busy aspect.

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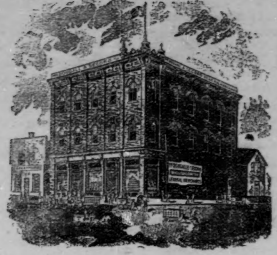
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It is a curious fact that successive governments of parliament have assumed an attitude of indifference, or at best judicial reserve, on this most important question, which their predecessors' negligence had given rise to. The company having earned its lands, should have been granted patents upon them immediately upon the completion of the road, if not at intervals as they earned the lands by completing the sections, but successive governments, though knowing the claims of the company, never took the trouble to bring the latter to an issue. Independent members have brought up the question in parliament and urged it upon the government, but the government has hitherto maintained a position of inactivity, masterly or otherwise. Public opinion, especially in the Northwest, has been aroused, however, and the government has at last been compelled to take timely action. They are doing now what they might have done five years ago, and what their predecessors might have done 10 years before. They are issuing the patents for the lands. The patents for all the lands on the main line of the Canadian Pacific will be issued before the end of six months and for the greater bulk of the lands on the branch railways before the end of the year. The independent members of parliament have been urging the government and parliament to pass declaratory legislation defining the period of exemption according to the popular opinion, which is certainly in accordance with the intention of the parliament which passed the contract, as the debates clearly show.

The lawyers on both sides of the house, however, while fastening the reproach of negligence on those of their profession who sat in the parliament which passed the contract by declaring that it is so loosely framed that its meaning is not clear, agree that parliament should not by fresh legislation force its own interpretation of a contract between the people and a corporation. It is just, they hold, that the interpretation should be left to the courts. Mr. Borden, the leader of the opposition, suggested, however, that parliament should pass a declaratory act fixing the period of exemption, but at the same time providing for the indemnification of the Canadian Pacific against any additional taxation imposed upon them by reason of the passing of the act. This would leave it to the courts to decide whether any change had actually been made in the period of exemption by the proposed new act. Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not seem to understand this, as he objected to Mr. Borden's proposal that it was not certain that the period of exemption had not expired. But parliament might fix the date of the expiry of the exemption early enough to avoid any danger of lengthening the period for the Canadian

Pacific at the cost merely of eventually making what would be a small grant in aid of municipal improvement in the Northwest. So much does it owe to the settlers for its carelessness in allowing the contract to be carelessly framed, to the settlers' cost. By promising to assume the cost of settling the question in the courts, when raised there by the municipalities, the government is only doing justice to the municipalities and paying a small penalty for the carelessness of preceding parliaments and governments. It is clear, however, that the corporations are better cared for in the framing of the contracts between them and the government which become acts of parliament than the people in whose interests the acts are supposed to be framed.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CONCERT.

Every seat in the old Presbyterian church was packed Friday night. Chairs were borrowed from neighboring houses and placed up the aisles. People stood at the door and crowded the vestibule. Some went home unable to get in. Others sat on the fence and looked through the open windows. The occasion was the presentation by the choir of the musical programs published in Friday's Bulletin. To say that the large audience endured the stifling heat of the old church until "God Save the King" and contributed besides \$35.20 in the form of a free-will offering at the intermission is to say that the same audience appreciated the programme as published and presented.

To speak first of the full choral numbers it must be said that the musical trilogy "By Babylon's Wave," was certainly the best. The pianissimo attack and sostenuto through the first part was admirably done barring a slight confusion of the soprano at the second attack when the tenors led rather too abruptly. The forte passages and fugue work of part 2, were done with confidence and the big swing into the Carse upon Babylon in part 3, was done with a weight of dramatic expression not obtained from every combination of fifteen singers outside of Wales. The "Gold Ye Portals Everlasting" from Gounod's Redemption, was a good second. There is a massive lift in it's comparatively simple work that makes it particularly effective. Hawley's Trisagion and Sanctus, in eight parts is a fine piece of writing. Barring a shade of roughness in the choros at the introduction and a little hesitancy in the female voices in coming in on the antiphona, this number was well done. Mendelssohn's "I waited for the Lord," though well voiced was a trifle too sluggish. A touch of flatness in one of the solo passages, and the absence of the tenor semi-chorus contributed to weaken the middle part; but the finish with the full chorus and tenor-violin duo was well worked up.

The same composer's "Judge Me O God," one of the best of his eight part writing extant was merely scaffolded through, probably from lack of time for practice as the work is infinitely easier than "By Babylon's Wave," which was sung twice as well. Mozart's Gloria from 12th Mass being put on singly as a voice-exerciser calls for little criticism. It was well sustained. A trifle of tempo-saving between the organ and piano was its chief defect.

Mr. R. McIntyre's rendering of "Comfort Ye," from the Messiah, was a masterly piece of work. "Bob," known a thing or two about interpreting Handel. Mr. T. Lavioie's solo number "The Palmers" was a fine piece of display. He was even better in the hymn-concerto "Save Thy Passion," in which in spite of its being an adaptation of the Bach-Gounod's Ave Maria to a Protestant hymn was certainly one of the most taking numbers on the programme. The male voices blended well with the violin, piano and organ. This number deserves more time and another rendering. "Out on the Deep," in key F by Lohr was done in good voice though a trifle slowly. Mr. Porter had a big bass voice well worth cultivation.

Fourteen young girls contributed by no means the least enjoyable part of the programme in the shape of two three-part choruses of standard merit sung with most excellent sweetness. These young voices promise well for the future.

The boys from the Institute though new at their work and nervous from appearing for the first time in public, handled their string instruments very creditably. Criticism is scarcely profitable in their case. They undertook to do what few boys of their experience would have done and did it under the circumstances very well. We will hear from them again.

Mr. A. J. H. McNulty handled the organ with his usual care and good judgment. Miss Richardson did excellent work. "At Jesus' Feet," contributed largely by the young men and women of the Institute, was a fine piece of the programme by the use of his voice.

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Toronto Telegram: Mr. Fernando Wadsworth, mining engineer, Boston, is at present in the city, having just returned from the Saskatchewan river, where, for the past two months, he has been determining the value of the gold beds in that section of the Dominion. The result of his experience, as related by him, were far beyond his expectations. Canadians, he declared, have no idea of the richness of this country. "Why portions of Canada are less known to Canadians than portions of South Africa."

Not only is the Saskatchewan rich in minerals, but it is rich in agriculture, a fact which is being emphasized by a large influx of settlers.

The gravel along the Saskatchewan west sixty miles from Edmonton and extending one hundred miles to the east of the city, is exceedingly rich in gold. Surface gravel will easily pay 25 cents per cubic yard at a cost of only 5 cents per cubic yard to work it, while the lower gravel will pay 85 cents per square yard.

During the time that Mr. Wadsworth was in the Saskatchewan the ground was frozen, thus preventing him from making an extensive investigation as he desired. One great factor in the mining of gold there is the presence of bituminous coal in large quantities, which can be delivered to the dredgers at a cost of \$1.40 per ton.

The climate, declared Mr. Wadsworth, is all that can be wished; in fact he looks upon Saskatchewan and Alberta, as ideal mining grounds, which will prove to be "some of the best gold fields in Canada." Prospects for a big season's work in the Northwest are very bright, as the various companies are putting a large amount of machinery in operation.

Mr. Wadsworth has with him some very fine specimens of gold dust. "Nowhere else I fall to find gold in paying quantities. Every bit of gravel I shovelled up and washed contained some of the color." It cannot be estimated how far down gold in paying quantities can be found. Mining engineers have worked the gravel to a depth of 13 feet, and found it to be richer the deeper they went.

ANNUAL BAND MEETING.

The annual meeting of the band was held in the fire hall on Friday evening. The election of officers resulted in the re-election of H. Hockley as conductor, G. Farlow being chosen treasurer, and T. Bolton, librarian.

The band purpose playing on the streets at least one evening per week as soon as the weather becomes settled.

As many of the instruments now in use have served their term of usefulness the need for new ones is pressing. To meet the requirements the band propose devoting all their earnings for the next three months to a fund for purchasing the needed instruments. It is estimated that \$150 will be needed to fully equip the organization which should if possible be done before the 1st of July. The members of the band trust that the citizens will respond in some way to their need and enable the band to be provided with new and efficient instruments.

COMING EVENTS.

The lacrosse club meet at 5 p.m. on Wednesday in the curling rink for reorganization.

The council of the board of trade meet to-morrow at 10:30 a.m.

T. J. Scott appears in Robertson Hall to-morrow evening on behalf of the Public Hospital.

A general meeting of the subscribers of the reading room will be held to-morrow evening in the rooms.

MARRIAGES.

Jones-Littlefair.—At the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday evening, April 10th, by the Rev. W. W. Adamson, Mr. John Jones, of B. C., to Miss Martha Littlefair, of Strathcona.

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SUPREME COURT.

Secord vs. Fraser, was up Saturday and on the case being partially heard was adjourned for further hearing until next court. This is an action brought by R. Secord against Colin Fraser for commission on the sale of furs sold by the defendant in Edmonton last fall. Costs of the trial to date to be paid by the defendant. N. D. Beck, K. C., for plaintiff, C. W. Cross for defendant.

Chamber applications were up this morning.

The sittings will probably be concluded on Wednesday, the end of the docket now being in sight.

METEOROLOGICAL.

	Max.	Min.
Monday,	46	
Tuesday,	51	38
Wednesday,	53	32
Thursday,	56	34
Friday,	47	28
Saturday,	47	28
Sunday,	54	29
Monday,	20	

TENDERS WANTED

For alterations and improvements to town hall. Plans and specifications may be seen at Secretary-Treasurer's office. Tenders to be in by Monday, April 15th. Address, Chas. Goodridge, Chairman, R. and M. Council, and mark on envelope, "Tender for Hall Improvements."

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